

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. to 22. (Canceled).

23. (Currently Amended) A method for routing data in a pay-TV terminal, the data including receiving rights for a mobile data carrier, the method comprising:

transmitting the data from a transmitter via a transmission medium to the pay-TV terminal;

buffering the data using the pay-TV terminal;

establishing communication between the mobile data carrier and the pay-TV terminal;
and then

routing the receiving rights to the mobile data carrier and storing the receiving rights in the mobile data carrier, wherein the mobile data carrier is a first chipcard and a second chipcard,

storing in a list a respective chipcard number and respective chipcard-specific filter information for the first chipcard and the second chipcard so as to enable the pay-TV terminal to cooperate with both of the first chipcard and the second chipcard; and

~~The method as recited in claim 17 further comprising~~ deleting the receiving rights using a preselected prioritization if a size of the list is exceeded.

24. (Canceled).

25. (Canceled).

26. (Canceled).

27. (Canceled).

28. (Canceled).

29. (Canceled).

30. (Canceled).

31. (Canceled).

32. (Previously Presented) A device for decoding pay-TV programs, the device comprising:

a control and evaluation electronics;

a communication apparatus for communicating with a first mobile data carrier via an interface;

a memory for use as a list so as to buffer data transmitted from a transmitter to the device via a transmission medium using the control and evaluation electronics, at least a first portion of the buffered data being routed immediately or at a later time to the first mobile data carrier; and

a pay-TV terminal having a priority circuit for determining which of the first portion of the buffered data and a second portion of the buffered data are deleted upon an exceeding of a space in the memory.

33. (Canceled)